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Naples, May 5.

HIS Sicilian Majesty continues at Portici in perfect Health.

Stockholm, May 12. M. Oelrich is made President of the College of Commerce.

The King and Queen are gone out of Town this Morning, to pass some few Days at Rosenberg; and the Prince and Princess Royal set out To-morrow for Eckholmsund: The Small-Pox raging at Dronningholm, prevents the Royal Family from residing there as usual in this Season.

Berlin, May 16. On the 12th the Ceremony of the Christening was performed at Potzdam by M. Kochius, one of his Prussian Majesty's Chaplains, when the new-born Princess was named Frederick-Charlotte-Ulrique-Catherine. The Sponsors present were, the King of Prussia, the Reigning Duke and Dutchess of Brunswick, the Princess Dowager of Prussia, Princess Wilhelmina, the Dowager Margravine of Bareuth; Prince Henry, the King of Prussia's Brother; Prince Frederick of Brunswick; and the Empress of Russia, and Queen of Sweden, by their Proxies.

Warsaw, May 19. Yesterday his Majesty received as usual the Compliments of the Foreign Ministers, &c. on the Anniversary of his Name-Day, and invested twenty-three Persons with the Order of St. Stanislaus.

Hamburgh, May 19. On Tuesday last Syndick Amsinck died here after a lingering Illness, and is much regretted as a good and able Magistrate.

Copenhagen, May 19. All the Regiments in this Garrison, as well as that at Elseneur, were, in the Course of last Week, reviewed by his Danish Majesty. He will see the Remainder of the Troops quartered in this Island before he begins his Journey into Holstein, which is fixed for the 10th of June.

The Queen Mother removed from Copenhagen to Hirschholm the 13th Instant. The Queen Juliana Maria and Prince Frederick set out for Friedensberg this Day, where they propose passing the Summer Months.

M. Schack, who has resided for some Years as Envoy from this Court to that of Stockholm, returned here Yesterday.

M. le Baron de Borke, his Prussian Majesty's Envoy here, has just received his Letters of Recall; but with Orders to remain here some Months longer.

M. Philosoffow set out from hence last Week, in order to join M. Saldern in Holstein.

Count Moltke is returned to his Country-Seat; but it is thought he will meet the Court at Schleswig.

An Ordonnance is this Day issued, establishing a Commission, with Powers to extend the Capitation Tax, or rather to levy a new one, on the Inhabitants of Copenhagen.

Dresden, May 20. The Princess Christina of Saxony, Sister to the Administrator, will shortly arrive here from France, and probably, in her present Circumstances, make some Stay at this Court.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 28, 1767.

Orders for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday next the 31st Instant, for his late Serene Highness Prince John Augustus of Saxe-Gotha, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk, fringed or plain Linen, black or white Fans, and white Gloves.

The Men to wear Black full trimmed, fringed or plain Linnen, black Swords and Buckles.

N. B. The Court to go out of Mourning on Thursday the 4th of June next, for that Day, being the Anniversary of His Majesty's Birth-Day.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 30, 1767.

Such Ladies as desire to dance Minuets at the Ball at St. James's on Thursday next the 4th of June, are requested to send their Names and Rank to this Office, on or before Tuesday next the 2d of June; and to send for their Tickets the next Day (Wednesday) between the Hours of Eleven in the Morning and Two in the Afternoon.

St. James's, May 23, 1767.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That Mr. Alexander Gordon, Collector of the Customs at Ayr, in that Part of His Majesty's Kingdom of Great-Britain called Scotland, having been at Irvine on Thursday the 5th of March last, set out from thence the next Day, on his Return to Ayr, in Company with Mr. William Herries, Merchant at Ayr, and John Mac Murtrie, Tide-Officer at the same Place; That, about Seven o'Clock in the Evening of the same Day, (the 6th of March) when the said Persons were near the Parks of Fullarton, there were, from behind a Hedge, Two different Guns fired at them, by which the Horse of William Herries was shot dead on the Spot; That, thereupon, the said Gordon and Mac Murtrie galloped away, and the said Herries was seized by Four or Five Persons armed, who expressed the most determined Resolution instantly to murder him, (supposing him to be the said Alexander Gordon) but, on being convinced by him of their Mistake, some of them rode after the said Mr. Gordon, but happily did not overtake him; That a Precognition of this Matter having been taken by the Sheriff of Ayr, it was discovered, in the Course thereof, that Four of the Persons, supposed to have been guilty of this Crime, have absconded, who, it is said, went on Board an Irish Sloop called the Royal George, which, about the Beginning of April last, smuggled a Cargo at the Troon Point; and that such Smuggling Vessels from Ireland generally rendevouz at Russ, sometimes at the Skerries, and sometimes at Dublin; That it is highly probable, from the Evidence in the said Precognition, that these Four Men were concerned in the Design of Assassinating the said Mr. Gordon; and also that many more were in that Conspiracy against him: His Majesty therefore, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice

tice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid wicked Attempt to aſſaſſinate the ſaid Mr. Alexander Gordon, Collector of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at Ayr, as aforeſaid, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon, and alſo a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *to any one of them, (except the Perſon or Perſons who actually fired the ſaid Guns, as above-mentioned) who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; the ſaid Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds *to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

H. S. CONWAY.

DESCRIPTION

Of the Four Perſons who have abſconded, viz.

WILLIAM STRACHAN, Servant to David Dunlop in Sculloch Mill, ſhort Hair and middle ſized, brown Complexion, aged about 20 Years, born in the Pariſh of Mounton and Shire of Ayr.

MATHEW REID, Servant to Robert Fulton in Correth, black Complexioned, with his own Hair, and ſix Feet high, aged about 27 Years, born in ditto.

JAMES GRAY, Servant to James Vallans in Loans, dark Complexioned, with his own Hair, and middle ſized, aged about 20, born in ditto.

DAVID HUNTER at Willochſton, and Servant to Robert Aliſon in Correth, Red Hair, and middle ſized, aged about 20, born in the Town of Preſtick and ditto Pariſh.

They were all ſerving in the Pariſh of Dundonald and Shire of Ayr.

Admiralty-Office, May 16, 1767.

His late Majeſty having been graciouſly pleaſed, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to eſtabliſh certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: Theſe are to give Notice, that Copies of the ſaid Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy at Chatham, Portſmouth, and Plymouth; as alſo with the Clerks of the Cheeque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerneſs; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinſale; where all ſuch Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the ſaid Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpoſe. But ſuch Widows as live at too great a Diſtance from the Places abovementioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Belſon, at the Admiralty-Office, who will ſend them all neceſſary Information. And the Governors of the ſaid Charity intending to diſtribute to the Widows of Sea-Officers who died before the 30th of Auguſt, 1732, as well as to the Widows of thoſe who died ſince that Time, whoſe Circumſtances come within the Rules of the Eſtabliſhment, ſuch Monies as may be due to them on the 31ſt of May inſtant; This is to give Notice, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do ſo as ſoon as poſſible; and that all ſuch Widows, whoſe Claims have been already allowed, may ſend or bring to this Office, as ſoon as poſſible, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Penſion or Bounty.

Victualling-Office, May 27, 1767.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 29th of June next, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (ſealed up) and treat with ſuch Perſons as may be inclinable to contract for Furniſhing ſuch of His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels with Sea Proviſions as may touch at Fowey, and be in Want thereof: Alſo freſh Beef on a ſeparate Contract. And all Perſons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the ſaid Occaſion are deſired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that ſhall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the ſaid 29th of June.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at Fowey.

East-India Houſe, May 29, 1767.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held, by Adjournment, at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, on Wedneſday next the 3d of June, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on ſpecial Affairs.

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, May 19, 1767.

Notice is hereby given, that ſuch Perſons as may be willing to purchaſe, together or in Parcels, the Dues *of* Lead Ore, *raiſed and to be raiſed from Michaelmas laſt to Michaelmas next, within the Manor of* Alſton Moor *in the County of Cumberland, may deliver in their Propoſals (ſealed up) to the Directors of this Hoſpital, at* Salters Hall *in* London, *on Wedneſday the 17th Day of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; or, before the Friday preceding, to Meſſ. Walton and Smeaton, at Farnacres near Newcaſtle upon Tyne.*

Jn° Ibbetſon.

N. B. It is expected Security will be given by the Purchaſer or Purchaſers reſpectively, before the Delivery begins, for Payment of the Money on or before the 25th of March 1768.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and others, of His Majeſty's Ship Rocheſter, who were actually on Board at taking of the St. Vincent and La Ritta, two Spaniſh Privateers, in the Weſt Indies, in the Month of November 1762, *that they may receive their reſpective Shares of the Head or Bounty Money for the ſaid Privateers, on Thurſday the 4th of June next, at the French Horn in Crutched Fryers; and ſuch Shares as are not then demanded will be recalled the firſt Thurſday in every Month, for three Years, by*

Oliver Toulmin, *of Crutched Fryers, Agent.*

Dr. *ANDERSON*'s, or The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceaſed, at the Unicorn, over-againſt the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are deſired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes ſealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderſon's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Iſabella Engliſh underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Uſe in all Caſes where Purging is neceſſary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

THE Works of Mr. HOGARTH,

in ſeparate Prints, or complete Sets, may be had as uſual, at his late Dwelling-Houſe, the Golden Head, in Leiceſter-Fields, and no where elſe. Commiſſions from Abroad will be punctually executed, and particular Care had to the Goodneſs of the Impreſſion. Where alſo may be had, in Quarto, The Analyſis of Beauty; written by Mr. Hogarth.

N. B. Mrs. Hogarth is ſorry ſhe is compelled to inform thoſe, who may hereafter become Purchaſers of Mr. Hogarth's Prints, that they are liable to be impoſed upon in the groſſeſt Manner, by a ſpurious Impreſſion. As this is not only a cruel Invaſion of her Property, but an Impoſition upon the Public, as well as a great Injury to the Reputation of her late Huſband, ſhe thinks it a Duty incumbent upon her to give this public Notice.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London, The Freehold Eſtate late of Matthias Kelham, deceaſed, at Plaſtow in the County of Eſſex, conſiſting of Six ſeveral Meſſuages or Dwelling-Houſes, with Gardens and other Conveniencies to each; and alſo another Meſſuage or Dwelling Houſe, with a Coach-Houſe and Stable for Four Horſes, and a Garden belonging thereto, Part of which laſt-mentioned Meſſuage and Premiſſes is Freehold, and the other Part held by Leaſe for 199 Years, of which 157 Years are yet to come; the ſaid Premiſſes are lett to ſeveral Tenants at the yearly Rent (together) of 47l. 10s. and the Freehold Part thereof is to be ſold ſubject to the Life-Eſtate of Frances the Wife of John Evers, (late Frances Kelham, Widow) who is about 46 Years of Age. Further Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers, and a Plan of the Premiſſes ſeen.

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PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Adam Spencer, late of London, Merchant, deceaſed, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before John Eames, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 12th Day of June next, in order to receive a Satisfaction for the ſame, or in Default thereof they will be abſolutely precluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees (if any) of Mathew Mackaile, late of Cape Coaſt Caſtle on the Coaſt of Africa, Merchant, deceaſed, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before John Eames, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 1ſt Day of next Trinity Term, in order to receive a Satisfaction for the ſame, or in Default thereof they will be abſolutely precluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Francis Cooper, late of the Pariſh of Chriſt Church in the County of Middleſex, Brewer, deceaſed, and alſo the Creditors and Legatees of Robert Brown, late of St. Martin's-Lane, Cannon-Street, London, Citizen and Skinner, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies before William Graves, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 30th Day of June next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the Decree.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt hath been lately awarded againſt John Todd and Alexander Catmur, of Lemon-Street, Goodman's-Fields in the County of Middleſex, Slopmen and Partners, and there is great Reaſon to believe, that great Part of their Effects are now concealed: The Aſſignee therefore gives Notice, that ſuch Perſon or Perſons, who ſhall make Diſcovery of any Money or Effects of the ſaid Bankrupts which are concealed, ſhall receive, as a Reward, after the Rate of Twenty Pounds for every One Hundred Pounds of the nett Produce of ſuch Monies or Effects as ſhall be recovered by ſuch Diſcovery, on Application to Mr. Freſſelicque, Attorney at Law, in Allen's Court, Leadenhall Street, London, Sollicitor to the ſaid Commiſſion; and all Perſons who are indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate, are required forthwith to pay the ſame to Mr. Humphry Jones, Linnendraper, in Leadenhall-Street, the Aſſignee, or to the ſaid Mr. Freſſelicque, or they will be ſued without further Notice.

N. B. Every Perſon who conceals any Part of the Bankrupt's Eſtate forfeits the Sum of One Hundred Pounds, and Double the Value of the Goods concealed; the Name of the Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery ſhall be concealed, if required.

PUrſuant to the Direction of an Indenture, dated the 28th Day of May, 1764, whereby the Executors of Thomas Carpenter, late of Silferton in the County of Devon, Gentleman, deceaſed, aſſigned to Truſtees certain Leaſehold Eſtates for the Payment of the ſaid Thomas Carpenter's Debts by Specialty and Simple Contract, as therein mentioned; The Creditors of the ſaid Thomas Carpenter by Simple Contract, are to make an Affidavit in Writing, before a Maſter in Chancery, of the Quantum of their Debts, and leave the ſame with Mr. William Williams, of Exon, Attorney, within two Months from the 29th Day of this Inſtant May, or they will be excluded all Benefit under the ſaid Indenture.

A Dividend will be made on the 18th Day of July next of the Effects of Anthony Luke, of Tiverton in the County of Devon, Ironmonger, by William Luke, of Exeter, Grocer, and Thomas Aſton, of Birmingham, Gentleman, Truſtees under an Indenture of Aſſignment, dated the 12th of December 1765, executed by the ſaid Anthony Luke for the Benefit of his Creditors, who are to leave Particulars of their Debts with one of the Truſtees, and ſign the ſaid Indenture, before making the ſaid Dividend, or be excluded the Benefit thereof.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Loraine Wilſon and William Gurr, late of Bow-Lane, London, Weavers, Dealers, Chapmen, and Copartners, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupts, on Thurſday next being the 4th of June, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Sword-Blade Coffee-Houſe in Birchin-Lane, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects; and compounding or ſubmitting to Arbitration any Debts due to the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate, or any Matter or Diſpute relating thereto, or otherwiſe agreeing the ſame; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

TO be ſold by Auction, on Tueſday the 30th Day of June next, at Mr. Bamford's, the George in Hull, at Three in the Afternoon, A Freehold Eſtate, ſituate at Newton Garth in the Pariſh of Paul in Holderneſs in the Eaſt Riding of the County of York, late the Eſtate of Francis Blunt, a Bankrupt, deceaſed, conſiſting of a Manſion-Houſe, Farm-Houſe, with Barns, Stables, Outhouſes, and Garths, and ſeveral Cloſes of Arable, Meadow, and Paſture Ground, containing by Eſtimation 286 Acres or thereabouts, in the ſeveral Occupations of Philip Hardy and John Rounding at the yearly Rent of 260l. Alſo to be ſold a ſmall Eſtate at Eaſington in Holderneſs aforeſaid, being Part Freehold and Part Copyhold, of the yearly Value of 25l. or thereabouts. Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had of Mr. Claridge, in Gray's Inn, and Mr. Goforth, in Hull.

N. B. The Tenants will ſhew the Premiſes.

THE Creditors of John Outram, late of Barneſley in the County of York, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet the ſurviving Aſſignee of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, at the King's Head Tavern, the Corner of Chancery-Lane, on Tueſday next, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, in order to conſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees making and accepting a Compoſition for the Demands which the ſaid Aſſignees and Creditors have under the Settlements made on the Marriage of the Father and Mother of the ſaid Bankrupt's Wife.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Hollingworth, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaſter, Merchant, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, on the 9th Day of June next, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Union Coffee-houſe near Temple-Bar, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, or concerning the ſame; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relative thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion of Bankrupt lately iſſued againſt John Henderſon and William Ebell, of Birchin-Lane, London, Merchants, Brokers, and Partners, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate, on Tueſday next the 2d of June, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at John's Coffee-houſe in Cornhill, London, to conſult and impower the Aſſignees to carry on and proſecute Suits for Recovery of the Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects in the Weſt Indies.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Henry Smeathman, of London, Merchant and Inſurance-Broker, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th Day of June next at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 12th Day of the ſame June, and on the 11th Day of July following, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Mitchell, of Quality-Court Chancery-Lane, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Taylor, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 12th Days of June next, and on the 11th Day of July following, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Parnther, in Staple Inn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Witherſton, of the Pariſh of St. Mary Matfellon otherwiſe Whitechapel in the County of Middleſex, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 17th Days of June next, and on the 11th Day of July following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners

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